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MISSOULA--

Stuart Swenson, Libby, a member of the Libby Rod and Gun Club, will discuss the proposed dam on the Kootenai Falls at 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 18, in the University Center Lounge at the University of Montana.

The public is invited to attend the lecture free of charge. Refreshments will be served. Questions from the audience following Swenson's lecture will be welcome.

Cosponsors of Thursday's lecture are the Student Action Center (SAC) and the Program Council, both agencies of the Associated Students of the University of Montana.

The proposal, made by Northern Lights Rural Electric Cooperative headquartered in Libby, would place the dam on the Kootenai Falls on the Kootenai River. Purpose of the dam is electrical generation.

Swenson also will speak on the effects of the Libby Dam and its re-regulation dam downstream and the hard-rock mining activities of the Northwest Mining Department of the American Smelting and Refining Co. (ASARCO) near Troy.

"The issues are important because of recreational uses and/aesthetic values around the Kootenai and Libby would be affected by the dam," Joseph Bowen, director of SAC, said.

For further information, interested persons may visit SAC, located in room 105 of the University Center, or phone 243-2451.

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